

## Journal Club Description Template

Please email a Word document containing the below information to Rocio Benabentos at [benabentosr@mail.nih.gov](mailto:benabentosr@mail.nih.gov) by Friday, May 10<sup>th</sup>, 2013.

Please provide a description of your Summer Journal Club, using the following format:

**Journal Club:** Insert title (titles for journal clubs to take place on any campus other than Bethesda should be in the format: "LOCATION" Summer Journal Club: Title)

**Description:** Insert description here

**Co-leaders:** Name 1, PhD or MD if applicable, IC; Name 2, PhD or MD if applicable, IC

**Dates/Time/Location:** Day of the week; Date 1, Date 2, Date 3, Date 4; Building, Room, Time

Example:

**Journal Club:** Medically Important Fungi (Bethesda)

**Journal Club (other campus):** ROCKY MOUNTAIN LABORATORIES (MONTANA)

Summer Journal Club: Medically Important Fungi

**Description:** Fungal diseases are becoming an increasingly important medical issue. The growing population of people living with compromised immune systems due to AIDS, or treatment for cancer or organ transplants are particularly at risk, but many fungal pathogens also prey on people with a healthy immune system. This journal club will cover recent publications on a variety of these deadly fungi. Organisms studied will include *Cryptococcus gattii*, a new and virulent visitor to the west coast of the United States, and *Stachybotrys chartarum*, the cause of sick building syndrome. Members will learn about methods and protocols for studying these organisms as well as how to critically evaluate scientific publications.

**Co-leaders:** John Scientist, PhD, NIDDK; Jane Researcher, PhD, NHLBI

**Dates/Time/Location:** Tuesdays; July 10, July 17, July 24, July 31; Building 8, Room 122, 2:00 - 3:00 pm